



John Clemens Marcinkewciz

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Big Rapids - John C. Marcinkewciz, 53, of Big Rapids, passed away unexpectedly Saturday, April 29, 2023, at his home on Rogers Pond.

He was born November 29, 1969, in Detroit, the son of Tony and Carolyn (Rice) Marcinkewciz, and the family moved to Big Rapids in 1976. John attended St. Peter's Lutheran School, and he graduated from Big Rapids High School in 1988. He went on to earn his Bachelor's Degree in Finance from Ferris State University, where he also played on the football team as a freshman.

John was a part owner of Universal Rent-to-Own, and operator of Universal Rent It All. He enjoyed his motorcycle, and was a member of the Harley Crew. John was an avid supporter of FSU Football, and also liked to watch NFL games. He had a heart for giving, and helping those in need. These three words help sum up John's life: 'Prickly, generous, driven!'

John is survived by his two sons, Tony and Tyler Marcinkewciz; his significant other Shelley Waldron; his mother Carolyn; sister-in-law Debra Marcinkewciz; niece Gwen and nephew Evan Marcinkewciz; his aunts, June Bloom and Janice Montague; and his uncle Jack Rice. He was preceded in death by his father Tony in 1988, and his brother Erick in 2018.

Funeral services will be 11 a.m., Thursday, May 4, 2023, at St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Big Rapids, with Pastor Tyson Benz officiating. Burial will follow in the Forest Hill Cemetery in Evart. John's family will greet friends from 6-8 p.m. on Wednesday, May 3, at the Mohnke Funeral Home in Big Rapids, and after 10 a.m. on Thursday at the church. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions in his name may be made to establish a scholarship fund in his name through Ferris State Football.

Share a memory or express condolences at www.mohnkefuneralhome.com.



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JD

Josh David lit a candle in honor of John.

John, Thank you for the things you taught me, thank you for showing me success can be achieved if we dream big and work hard, I will miss seeing you outside of work with your woman dancing on the dance floor to your favorite songs you requested, one o



May 3 at 8:00 PM

RH

Rich Harper posted:

John was more like a brother to me probably because he treated everyone like family. We will miss you brother

May 3 at 8:00 PM

YV

Yvonne posted:

You were one of a kind and will truly be missed. May your family be comforted today as you are celebrated.

May 3 at 8:00 PM

JJ

Joan Johnston posted:

John may you rest in peace.

May 3 at 8:00 PM

GP

Gina And Dennis Pellegrini posted:

Shelley and all of John's family our thoughts and prayers are with all of you!!

May 2 at 8:00 PM

DS

Dawn Stafford posted:

John was a great guy, his laugh was so infectious, you couldn't help but laugh with him. He had no problem expressing his love for Shelly and his family. He will be deeply missed. Ride in Peace John.

May 2 at 8:00 PM



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RD

Ryan C. Dehoog posted:

Anyone that had the pleasure of meeting John and spending time with him cannot think of him without smiling or laughing, he will be truly missed and never forgotten. RIP SKEW, my condolences to all of his family and friends from the entire DeHoog family.

May 1 at 8:00 PM

GB

Gary And Jodi Benedict lit a candle in honor of John.

Marcinkewciz family, we are saying prayers for you. So sorry for your loss.

April 30 at 8:00 PM



MM

Mark Mondrella posted:

Rest in Peace

April 30 at 8:00 PM

DG

Denny, Sue, Brian, And Brent Gross posted:

We were all so sad to hear of John's passing. Our condolences go out to Carolyn and Shelley and the rest of the family.

April 30 at 8:00 PM

MH

Michael E Haight posted:

My Sympathy for all of Johns Family and Friends . May John find peace on his journey.

April 30 at 8:00 PM

BE

Bill And Sandy Engelman. posted:

Prayers for the families.

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JT

Julie Taylor lit a candle in honor of John.

All are in my my thoughts and prayers

April 30 at 8:00 PM



TH

Teresa Harley lit a candle in honor of John.

Meeting John was an "accident" back in 1999. Since then he has been apart of our family. Riding motorcycles, hanging out(eating wings at Shooters) and standing up in our wedding. He will be missed dearly and the memories will always remain! RIP John ❤️&

April 30 at 8:00 PM



LS

Loni Sprague lit a candle in honor of John.

Words cannot express how heavy my heart is ...but I will see you again on the other side ..till then big brother you fly high.

April 30 at 8:00 PM



KH

Kathryn Herrick lit a candle in honor of John.

There are no words to express the sadness I feel for Johns Mom and significant other. My husband Joe has told so many stories to my children that although they never met him they all know him, and the joy the see in their fathers eyes when he speaks of J

April 30 at 8:00 PM



SC

Sharon Craft lit a candle in honor of John.

My Prayers and Condolences to you and your Family. May The Lord Jesus comfort and shower Peace within Your heart.

April 30 at 8:00 PM





Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring John by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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